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Poems You Ought to Know.

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Professor Charles Elliot Norton.

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THOUGHT.

By CHRISTOPHER P. CRANCH.

Christopher Pearce Cranch was born at Alexandria, Va., in 1813; died at Cambridge, Mass., in 1882. He was ordained a Unitarian minister, but gave up that profession for painting.

THOUGHT is deeper than all speech,
Feeling deeper than all thought;
Souls to souls can never teach
What unto themselves was taught.

We are spirits clad in veils;
Man by man was never seen;
All our deep communings fall
To remove the shadowy screen.

Heart to heart was never known,
Mind with mind did never meet;
We are columns left alone
Of a temple once complete.

Like the stars that gem the sky,
Far apart, though seeming near,
In our light we scattered lie;
All is thus but starlight here.

What is social company
But a babbling summer stream?
What our wise philosophy
But the glancing of a dream?

Only when the sun of love
Melts the scattered stars of thought;
Only when we live above
What the dim-eyed world hath taught;

Only when our souls are fed
By the fount which gave them birth,
And by inspiration led,
Which they never drew from earth,

We like parted drops of rain
Swelling till they meet and run,
Shall be all absorbed again,
Melting, flowing into one.

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tiful necklace set with many diamonds. After the marriage many of the guests were entertained at the beautiful country home of Mr. J. A. Stokes, brother of the bridegroom.

Among those present were Mrs. C. T. Bickley, Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dorsey, Deybranch, Ga.; Mr. Linton Miller, Haddock, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones, Gordon, Ga.; the Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Curry. The bride is a beautiful and accomplished young lady of Hollins, Va.; the bridegroom is a cultured and refined gentleman of Gordon, Ga. The bride and bridegroom received many handsome presents from their host of friends, as well as many good wishes from those present, and telegrams of congratulation from absent friends.

Personal Mention.

The Atlanta Journal of Monday contains an excellent picture of Miss Eva Turpin, of this city, who is mentioned as the attractive guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brown, of Kirkwood, a suburb of Atlanta.

Mr. Walter H. Gay, of Richmond, has secured a patent for a thread-cutting machine. Other successful Virginia patents are Messrs. James R. N. Curdin, of Alexandria; George H. Brown, of Norfolk; William J. Sturges, of the same city; assignor of two-thirds to A. S. J. Gammon and C. C. Graves; Harry N. Tennille, of Manchester; and John H. Wine, of Elkwood.

The list of visitors at "Our Mountain Home," Asheville, N. C., includes the names of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hewitt, of Mapletown, Princess Anne county; Mrs. Knight and two daughters, Mrs. Morrisette and Miss Lily Knight; Mrs. Julia Russell, Misses Russell, Mr. Ebridge and the Rev. Dr. W. M. Vines, of Norfolk, who is pastor of the First Baptist Church in Norfolk, is supplying Lunsford's pulpit in the First Baptist Church at Asheville.

Mr. W. Lamar Edwards is visiting relatives in Smithfield and Newport News, Va.

Miss Mattie Rose, of Richmond, attended a German given last Saturday night at Rockbridge Alum Springs. Her partner at the game was Mr. Andrew Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Green and two children, of Baltimore, who have been guests of Mrs. O. T. Gilliam, left for home yesterday.

The Rev. Dr. W. W. Moore, president of Union Theological Seminary, will lecture in the opera house at Wytheville, Va., next Friday at 11 A. M. on "Palestine, the Home of the Bible." At 8 o'clock, in the evening, he will deliver a second lecture in the same place on "A Hallelujah Through the Nile Valley."

Miss Jessie Jones, who has been visiting Mrs. K. Foster Murray, in Norfolk, is expected to return to Richmond this week.

Miss Marie Taylor, who has been visiting her sister, in Willoughby Avenue, Brambleton.

Miss Gale Rider is at home after spending some time very pleasantly with friends in Lynchburg, Va.

Miss Nannie R. Heth, the orator, Hon. J. Gould; Mrs. George E. Pickett, Captain Hickey, Captain Ralnes, Mr. Mosby and Mr. Callahan.

The Confederate Veteran also contains a mention of the wedding of General W. R. Cox, of North Carolina, and Mrs. H. A. Claiborne, of Richmond.

Miss Margaret A. Vonderlehr, of this city, is spending some time in the mountains of West Virginia.

FULTON NEWS

Mrs. John Lamb and daughter are visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whitlow has returned from the mountains.

Miss Bertha Redford is visiting friends at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Moncure and wife have returned from a visit to their former home in Caroline county.

Miss Ida Harden has returned from Scottsville, where she was the guest of friends.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Evans, of Louisiana Street, died Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Wesley Bowles is ill with fever at her residence in Seventh Street.

Captain Henry Parmer, of Washington, is visiting relatives.

Mr. Chester O'Dover has returned from Atlantic City.

Mrs. Thomas J. Earlight is visiting her sister, Mrs. Thomas Gill, of Baltimore.

Rev. James E. Oiler and family, of Louisiana, who have been the guests of Captain Geo. M. Rogers, left yesterday for Matthews county, to spend several weeks with Mrs. Oiler's parents.

Mr. Wilson Luck is able to be out with the aid of his crutches.

Mr. Frank Wilson is visiting in Berkeley.

Miss Annie Schmidt, who has been visiting in upper Henrico county, has returned home.

GAVE HIM SCOLDING.

Justice John Roasts Man for Not Resenting Abuse of His Wife.

When all the evidence in the case of John Bowles, a white man who was charged with cursing and abusing Mrs. Ella Wood, came out before Justice John yesterday morning, it was clear that John was a very bad man. Sworn testimony was to the effect that Mrs. Wood, who is a fine looking woman with a handsome figure, made it her custom to chastise her husband every time he came home drunk.

Bowles was at Mrs. Wood's home at the time he was alleged to have cursed her. Her husband was there also and heard the cursing.

"You are a coward then, sir. Not a common coward, but an arrant coward. Allowed this man to curse your wife and you do not resent it," said Justice John to Mr. Wood. The justice was bristling with anger.

"But, your Honor, this woman abused me also," said Bowles, who called me a very bad name, and here the witness repeated the epithet.

"Fine you both \$2.00 each, Mrs. Wood and Bowles. Mr. Wood, you are discharged, but I wish I could soak you," shot out the court.

ADJUTANT GENERAL.

George Wayne Anderson Said to Be the Man Slated.

It is said that Mr. Swanson, when he becomes Governor, will appoint Colonel George Wayne Anderson, of this city, Adjutant General.

Colonel Anderson was seen yesterday at his offices in the Chamber of Commerce building and asked if the rumor was true.

He replied, "I have never asked Mr. Swanson for the office. That is all I have to say on the subject."

Colonel Anderson, who had written his resignation as commanding officer of the Seventy-second regiment, has been prevailed upon to continue in command.

Mr. Goode's Condition.

Mr. Ellis Goode, of No. 317 West Main Street, now at the Retreat for the Sick, where he was operated upon yesterday, is getting along well, his physicians, Drs. West and Oppenheimer, could expect. The operation was a serious one.

Casino Patrons Pleased.

The bill at the Casino continues to delight crowds of hotel and street people. The six numbers given during the last week of the summer season make the best variety attraction yet offered in the Casino, and Stewart Barnes, the funny man, the Scars-Allen Company, the fearless wonder and the trained bull terriers are nightly making the theatre ring with applause.

There will be a matinee Saturday.

Academy Opening.

Tim Murphy in "A Corner in Coffee," will open the Academy with engagements for Monday and Tuesday with Tuesday matinee. The play is the dramatization of a story by the Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady and it promises to create a theatrical sensation.

The Academy will open Wednesday and Thursday with Thursday matinee.

Freel Admits Killing a Man.

(By Associated Press.) RICHMOND, C. H. Va., Aug. 23.—Attention was directed from election affairs to-day by the arrest of a negro named Thomas Parsons, who on the night of the 22d, while on his way from church, shot and killed another negro named Thomas Banks. Parsons freely admitted the killing, and claims that Banks struck him a severe blow with his fist, which he resented by shooting two bullets into him, from a thirty-two calibre British bulldog.

Banks is a bad name among the colored people here. Two by that name have committed atrocious murders in the last few years, for which one was hanged. The other escaped.

PENNILESS WOMAN PUT RING IN CHURCH BOX

Eleven Men Paid \$5 Each to Get It Back and Presented it to Her.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Aug. 23.—The members of Mosby's command will receive a royal welcome when they come here on August 31 to hold their annual reunion. A special committee, with Councilman E. W. Mills as chairman, is arranging an interesting program for the visitors. When they assemble for their business meeting they will be officially welcomed in an address by Mayor Thomas P. Wallace.

After the business session of the organization is over a handsome luncheon will be tendered the veterans at the Opera House, at which choice music and stirring addresses will be the features.

At the meeting of the Potomac Baptist Association at Ebenezer Church, in lower Loudoun, last week a subscription was taken up to build a new church. A lady in the congregation, who had no money, took her ring out of her finger and put it in the contribution box.

When it became known afterwards, a gentleman gave \$5 for the ring, with the understanding that he be allowed to redeem the ring to the lady. When it became known ten other gentlemen contributed \$5 each and a joint presentation was made to the lady. She received her ring back and the sum of \$55 was added to the building fund of the church.

The property in this city owned by Mr. B. W. Stearns, who has moved to Lynchburg, was sold at auction and purchased by his brother, Mr. Frank P. Stearns, for \$2,500.

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TREES ARE IN BAD CONDITION

Beautiful Elms in Capitol Square Pronounced in Great Danger.

SUDWORTH INSPECTS THEM

Representative of National Forestry Department Will Try to Save Them.

Mr. George B. Sudworth, chief of one of the Departments of the United States Forest Commission, reached Richmond yesterday. He is stopping at the Westmoreland Club and will remain here several days examining the conditions of the trees of the city.

Some time ago a cry was raised that the trees in all parts of Richmond and especially in the Capitol Square were in a most serious condition and it was determined to take steps to remedy the evil.

Senator Martin, Governor Montague and Mayor McCarthy made a formal request to the government for assistance and the visit of Mr. Sudworth is the outcome.

Years ago when Savannah was visited by a most destructive wind storm that greatly injured the trees, Mr. Sudworth came to the city's rescue and so great was his success in solving the problem of remedy that his name has since that time become known throughout the country.

In company with Mr. Eugene Massie, who has taken a lively interest in the welfare of the city trees, and a Times-Dispatch man, Mr. Sudworth visited the Capitol Square on yesterday afternoon.

It was found that fully 75 per cent. of the beautiful trees in the Square were in such bad condition that only the most skillful treatment will save them.

In Deplorable Condition.

There are great holes and blazes places that have been allowed to grow great and have become a danger to the dead and dying limbs that have been cut and on every hand are there evidences of carelessness that has been almost wanton.

Outside the Square on Bank Street is a splendid row of trees, among the most beautiful in the city, and yet poorly cared for. A large number of them have been irreparably injured by horses that have been tied to them.

In speaking of the injury that has been done to this row of swamp oaks, Mr. Sudworth said that it was a case of vandalism of the worst kind and that if such a thing occurred in most cities, the owners of the horses would be heavily fined. It is the duty of the police to prevent this and he doubts if steps will be at once taken by the City Improvement League to ascertain on whom the blame rests.

The matter is being taken up by Mr. Sudworth with Mayor McCarthy and Mr. Massie and on his return to Washington will make a report on the condition of the trees together with suggestions for improvement and relief.

Mr. Sudworth when asked for an interview stated that he preferred to make a study of conditions before expressing an opinion.

CLOSE ARMINIUS MINES.

Extensive Improvements Will Be Made to Plant.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LOUISA, VA., August 23.—The Arminius mines, at Mineral, having worked ahead and produced a considerable amount of ore, ready for shipment, will shut down on September 1st.

The plant, which has been in constant operation for ten years without interruption, through the generosity of the president, during the shut down, all employees will remain in their cottages free of rent, and provision has been made for their employment, so that none may suffer while the work of improvement is going on.

Chase City Affairs.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHASE CITY, VA., August 23.—The Chase City Military Company, Captain A. T. Finch, with fifty-two men, left over the Southern Railroad this morning to join other companies of the Seventy-second Regiment in the encampment at Basic City.

Professor C. B. Bowry, formerly of Virginia, but recently of Indiana, has been elected principal of the Southside Academy, at this place.

Professor W. M. Handley, of Farmville, Va., has been chosen principal of the public high school here.

A considerable quantity of new tobacco is now sold at this market.

Mr. Henry H. Pollard, of Richmond, is adjourning at the Mecklenburg.

Washington Affairs.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—Free rural delivery routes ordered established November 1. Virginia—Richmond, Henrico county, route number 1, population 522, houses 165; Rapidan, Culpeper county, route number 2, population 1,019, houses 265.

Charles W. Allgood, carrier and John M. Allgood, substitute, have been appointed to fill vacancy, Washington, North Carolina, in rural carrier force, route number 4. Postmasters appointed: Virginia, Culpeper county, Mary A. Jones, who had been appointed, resigned.

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FAIRBANKS TO NORTHERN VETS

Vice-President Commends Valor of Both Factions in Civil War.

(By Associated Press.) OGDENSBURG, N. Y., August 23.—In the presence of Vice-President Fairbanks, veterans of Northern New York, united with Ransom Post, G. A. R., here to-day in unveiling a beautiful monument in Liberty Park, commemorating the patriotism of soldiers of the town of Ogdensburg, who fell in the Civil War.

General N. M. Curtis spoke, and was followed by Vice-President Fairbanks, who said in part:

"Victor and vanquished rejoice in the complete re-establishment of our national solidarity. They each see a new glory in the republic, purified in the fiery furnace of a great civil conflict. Each yields willing tribute to the valor of the other. Better of our men never faced each other upon the fields of battle than those who met under the leadership of Grant and Lee.

"While we pay homage to those who stood in defense of the nation, we do not withhold from those who fought to overthrow the republic, an expression of our admiration and esteem. We are not warring in regard for those who, through misjudgment, raised their hand against their own friends and protector—the flag.

Negro Gets Eighteen Years. (By Associated Press.) WYTHEVILLE, VA., August 23.—In the case against Robert Burns, charged with killing a negro woman on Little Reed Island Creek, the jury this morning gave verdict of eighteen years in the penitentiary.

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